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### FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

**LS 6621 NOTE PREPARED:** Jan 7, 2003

BILL NUMBER: HB 1912 BILL AMENDED:

**SUBJECT:** Administrative Rulemaking.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Cherry BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FIRST SPONSOR:

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL IMPACT: State

DEDICATED FEDERAL

Summary of Legislation: This bill requires a state agency to submit to the Legislative Services Agency (LSA) a proposed rule with an estimated economic impact greater than \$250,000 on regulated entities. The bill requires the Legislative Services Agency to conduct a fiscal analysis concerning the effect that compliance with the proposed rule will have on the: (1) state; and (2) entities regulated by the proposed rule. (Current law provides that the economic impact must be greater than \$500,000 to initiate this process.)

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2003.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** This bill would require a state agency to submit a proposed rule to LSA for a fiscal analysis if the economic impact on regulated entities is estimated to be greater than \$250,000, rather than the current threshold of \$500,000. Lowering the threshold will increase the number of required impact analyses. The additional workload would be able to be accomplished within the current budget and staffing levels of the agency.

#### **Explanation of State Revenues:**

# **Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

## **Explanation of Local Revenues:**

State Agencies Affected: Legislative Services Agency.

### **Local Agencies Affected:**

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# **Information Sources:**

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